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Season's Heartiest Greetings!

The Northern Dairy Pool takes this opportunity in extending to its members its sincere appreciation for their splendid support and cooperation during the year that has just closed.

We have every reason to be proud of our success since the Pool's start only two years back. The following is a clear demonstration what can really be accomplished through cooperative efforts.

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You, the members, are the only owners of the Northern Dairy Pool. When you lend your support to it you are boosting your own business.

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STONY PLAIN RINK,

Saturday Night, Jan. 11th

at 8.30 Sharp.

Stony Plain vs. Civics.

Stony Plain and District.

Be sure and make it 1930.

Mr Jac Miller arrives back tomorrow, from Wembley.

Mr Zerber, Holden, spent New Year's holidays with his family here.

Mrs Gilbert Stebbins is on a visit with friends at Spokane.

The annual meeting of the Stony Plain U.F.A Local will be held Saturday afternoon next, Jan 4, when a delegate to the annual convention in Calgary on Jan. 21, will be elected.

Baker Trapp is installing a power dough mixer.

The local Public and High schools will re-open their doors on Monday next, Jan. 6th.

The funeral took place on Saturday last of Charlotte Baner, 11-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs John F Bauer. Rev E Eberhardt conducted the service, and interment took place in St Matthew's churchyard.

Mr Val Pailer has just completed the erection of a Catholic church at Gainford. This is a frame structure 40x20 ft., and makes the seventh church under the pastorate of Rev Father Keenan, Spruce Grove. The others are: Spruce Grove, Stony Plain, Carvel, Duffield, Tomahawk and Entwistle.

Mr J W Edkins, a former resident of this district but latterly of Entwistle, has returned here and intends operating a taxi service from Stony Plain to Edmonton, running three regular trips a week—Mon., Wed., Sat., at 9 a.m. He will be on call the balance of the week by phoning No 40 or No. 46. This service will prove a boon to those who find it inconvenient to catch the early train.

At the regular evening service, on Sunday last, at the United Church (Rev G A Sauder, pastor) Rev W Little assisted at the service by reading the lesson and delivering a sermon based on the text from the 1st chapter of St John. A beautiful solo was rendered by Mr F W Years, Rev Little is in charge of the United church at Foremost, and was on a visit here with Dr and Mrs Outway.

Subscribers not receiving their local paper regular, will kindly call at The Sun office and get a copy.

Church Services

Services will be held in St Philip's Church at 11.30 on Sunday next.

A Lutheran service in English will be held in Stony Plain Sunday next at 7.30 p.m., by Rev. V.A. Osterman.

Service at United church Sunday evening at 7.30; Rev G A Sauder.

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Reduce Armies As Well As Navies

The outstanding event of this opening month of the new year is the assembling of the naval reduction conference in London, England, upon invitation of the British Government to the other Great Powers, to devise ways and means of securing a substantial lessening of the burden borne by all in maintaining huge navies, while at the same time, they are mutually pledged the one to the other and all not to resort to war. The conference opens with every prospect of success attending its deliberations, and particularly so in view of the fine understanding already reached between Great Britain and the United States. The hopes and desires of all mankind are wrapped up in its success.

If an accord can be reached in regard to questions of naval strength the next step should, and undoubtedly will, be an endeavor to arrive at an agreement for the reduction of armies and other forms of land armament. Military preparedness, so called, as distinct from naval establishments, imposes an even heavier burden on most nations. Nevertheless, the question of the size of armies seems to present the more difficult problem.

For example, here in Canada we can understand why the United States with the Atlantic, and Pacific, and Gulf of Mexico bounding it on three sides, with its island possessions of the Philippines, Porto Rico, etc., and its ocean borne trade, should feel the necessity of a strong navy, but the majority of our people are at a loss to understand their need of a large standing army and an extensive National Guard or militia.

Following, as it did, the cordial reception tendered Premier Ramsay MacDonald by President Hoover, and the spontaneous acceptance of the invitation to the naval conference in London, Mr. Hoover's Armistice Day speech came as something of a shock in that he laid great stress—many people believe too much stress—on the old gospel of preparedness, and particularly as it applied to the United States. Nor is this feeling allayed in President Hoover's first budget message to Congress, wherein he asks for increased appropriations for the army.

President Hoover's statement that sufficient forces must be maintained to prevent "the foot of the invader landing on our sacred soil," sounded like a sop to the militarists. There does not appear to be the vaguest possibility that any power or combination of powers contemplates any such fantastic step or that it is ever likely to happen. Canada and Mexico are the only two countries whose territory is contiguous to the United States, and this Dominion's permanent force of approximately 3,000 does not constitute a threat, nor has the U.S. anything to fear from Mexico. Why, then, such huge army expenditures?

President Hoover has taken a fine stand on naval reductions and also on the Kellogg anti-war pact, but if real progress is to be made towards world disarmament an even greater measure of enthusiasm must be displayed for reduction in land forces. In his address he referred to the fact that there are ten million men under arms in Europe, nearly more than in 1914. But, instead of attempting to formulate some plan whereby a reduction in these immense forces could be effected, Mr. Hoover seemed chiefly concerned in having the United States build up a bigger army to avoid invasion by these overseas millions.

Real friends of peace would have liked to hear President Hoover issue an urgent call to European countries to immediately start cutting down their armies, and, instead of advocating a still larger army for his country, he could safely have added weight to his plea by favoring a reduction, rather than an increase, in the United States land forces. The war-weary peoples in all countries would have welcomed such a lead from the United States.

Clearly the lesson that preparedness for war inevitably leads to war has not yet been sufficiently impressed upon the minds of the people. An enormous percentage of the four billions of dollars which Mr. Hoover asks Congress to provide in its next budget, is to cover the costs of former wars and to "prepare" for possible future ones. In 1928 the United States spent sixty cents out of every dollar on account of war financing. Another twenty cents went to the army and navy, making a total of eighty cents out of every dollar collected in federal taxes for military—and, in an economic sense, unproductive—purposes.

In that same year in Canada, a pacific nation, spending far less than other countries on war preparation and debts incurred by war, heavy as the latter are, 45¢ cents out of every dollar expended by the Government was attributable to war.

In the light of these figures it is clearly evident that, if this damnable doctrine of "preparedness" is to be allowed to continue as the basis of international relations, all the efforts of the League of Nations, all Peace Pacts, all efforts of peace organizations will fail. The people must bestir themselves in order to avert the possibility of future wars.

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Looking To The Future

New York Sky-scrapers To Have Most For Dignities

Alfred E. Smith, skyscraper builder, has announced that the 1,100 foot tower of the Empire State building will be surmounted by a 200 foot mooring mast for Zeppelin airships through which passengers can descend in seven minutes to the street, instead of landing at Lakehurst, 70 miles away.

Mr. Smith will go to Washington to ask Secretary of the Navy Adams for the help of navy engineers experienced in mooring mast construction. Already, Shreve, Lamb and Harmon, architects of the 65-story building, have consulted the engineers of the Goodyear Zeppelin Company, which contemplates transportation lines with the two great airships it is building.

The directors of Empire State, Inc., of which former Governor Smith is president, have come to the conclusion, he said, that in a comparatively short time there would be a trans-Atlantic, trans-Pacific and transcontinental airship line, and possibly a line to South America.

THOUSANDS OF MOTHERS USE NO OTHER MEDICINE

Baby's Own Tablets Are the Ideal Remedy For Babies and Young Children

Canadian mothers are noted for the care they give their little ones—the health of the baby is most jealously guarded and the mother is always on the lookout for a remedy which is efficient and at the same time absolutely safe. Thousands of mothers have found such a remedy in Baby's Own Tablets and many of them use nothing else for the ailments of their little ones. Among them is Mrs. Howard King, of Truro, N.S., who says:—"I can strongly recommend Baby's Own Tablets to mothers of young children as I know of nothing to equal them for little ones."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brooklyn, Ont.

Fish Fry Transported To Stock Western Waters

Over Five Million Fish Fry Deposited In Western Waters During Past Year

There should be a lot of new good sport fishing in Western Canadian waters in a few years. A report issued by the Canadian National Railways shows that during the current year that company transported 5,352,000 fish fry or eggs for deposit in various waters in Western Canada. Pickled and the following varieties of trout were included in the shipments: Loch Leven, speckled brown, salmon, rainbow and Kamloops. The pickled were all placed in prairie waters and the trout in mountain and foothills waters.

Miller's Worm Powders will drive worms from the system without injury to the child. The powders are so easy to take that the most delicate stomach can assimilate them and welcome them as speedy easers of pain, because they promptly remove the worms that cause the pain, and thus the suffering of the child is relieved. With so sterling a remedy at hand no child should suffer an hour from worms.

Hotel Cecil Is Sold

Famous London Hostelry Purchased By Oil and Gasoline Corporation

The Hotel Cecil, one of the most famous landmarks between the Strand and the Thames for the last 30 years, and patronized especially by overseas visitors, has been sold to serve as headquarters for a great oil and gasoline corporation. The purchase price was about \$7,500,000.

Another proof of the tendency of all enterprises catering largely for visitors, both in amusement and accommodation, to move further westward in the city. The hotel possesses 900 bedrooms, and eleven banqueting halls, being the creation of a notorious financier, James Balfour, who was brought back from refuge in the Argentine to suffer long imprisonment. The hotel was only partly built at the time of Balfour's crash. During the war it was the headquarters of the Royal Air Force.

A golf club has been invented which whistles when a drive is made correctly.

That Sore Throat Needs Minard's.

Complete Broadcasting Circuit

Canadian National Forges Last Link In Coast To Coast Radio Chain

By the completion of a broadcasting circuit from Edmonton to Vancouver, the Canadian National Railways have forged the last link in a coast-to-coast chain of radio stations. Announcement of the installation of the new circuit was made recently by the telegraph department of the system. The first broadcast to go over the new section took place on Thursday, December 19, when the Hart House String Quartet played before the microphone at Toronto. Up to the present, the Rockies have been a barrier against consistently good reception of eastern radio broadcasts, but now Pacific coast listeners will be able to hear the best concerts of the other centres of Canada. Contact between all parts of the Dominion may now be maintained by the medium of instantaneous transmission of speech. The vast radio network is an engineering feat which keeps pace with the progress of both Canada and the National system. The radio department will broadcast three hours weekly over the Atlantic-Pacific network and plans are underway for several commercial programmes to reach the coast.

Good Season For Furs

First Returns From Trappers In Northern Manitoba Favorable

A good fur season in northern Manitoba is indicated by first returns from the trappers. Dr. H. H. Elliott, commissioner for northern Manitoba, announces. During the past few years, the fur catch has been steadily decreasing, but this year a new cycle of successful trapping seems to have started.

The commissioner stated that the new regulations governing fur trade in the province seems to be proving satisfactory.

The number of trappers now working in the north has shown a substantial increase over the 1928 figure, Dr. Elliott asserted.

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

Homes Of Steel

Steel houses, complete in every detail and including a bathroom, electric lights and central heating, are being planned for Paris. The houses can be constructed in eight minutes and can be erected on their sites in a few hours.

Minard's for the Ideal Rabdown.

Exports of ostrich feathers from South Africa in past year have amounted to \$15,000,000 annually.

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Whilst Zam-Buk has long been recognized as Canada's most popular remedy in skin troubles, how many know how better it is than any poisonous liniment for relieving the sharp twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago?

Zam-Buk is equally good for aching backs, stiff joints, sore muscles, cold in the head and chest, or sore throat.

Rubbed well into the affected parts, Zam-Buk's powerful pain-soothing essence soaks right into the tissues, banishing soreness, congestion and inflammation. Others prefer to treat their colds so; they rub Zam-Buk between the palms of both hands and then inhale the evaporating medicinal vapours. This does the same good in another way.

Also For COLD-SORES CHAPS CHILBLAINS &c

Sale Of Farm Seeds

Disposal Of Pedigreed Seeds In Saskatchewan Is Increasing Rapidly

A business that is expanding rapidly in Saskatchewan is the sale of farm seeds. J. H. Speers estimates that the sales of pedigreed seed in the city has increased at least fourfold in the last five years. And there is still room for further expansion. "Five years ago," says Mr. Speers, "about 10 per cent. of the farmers knew what pedigreed seed was, and how it was procured. Now perhaps 50 per cent. have that information."

The Proven Asthma Remedy. Since asthma existed there has been no lack of much heralded remedies, but they have proved short lived and worthless. The ever-growing reputation of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has given it a place in the field of medicine which no other can approach. It has never been pushed by sensational methods, but has simply gone on giving relief and making new converts.

Cramped His Style

Old Moose Parker was pretty sick, and the doctor promptly put him to bed and laid down all sorts of rules and regulations as to sleep and diet. After he had gone, Moose turned to his wife and complained:

"Mandy, how does that dere fool doctor reckon Ah's gwine to eat breast ob chicken every day if Ah ain't got ma eben's free?"

The population of the earth is said to double itself every 250 years.

Nearly 4,000 tons of lilies were used in China, this year, to make soup.

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An Extensive Collection

Man Surprised At Number Of Edgar Wallace's Books

A man recently went into an English library and asked for the complete works of Edgar Wallace. "The result," he said, "was extraordinary. A whole squadron of men marched in to the reading-room with long steel rods over their shoulders. Clamped to these rods were rows of Edgar Wallace's books, in wood. They reminded me of the long poles which vegetable-sellers carry, with onions slung on to them." He said that there must have been in all something like 200 books, including some very early Edgar Wallace poems, in the Masefield manner, now completely forgotten.

Possibility Of Developing Copper Mines In Far North Sketched By Major Burwash

The possibilities of developing copper mines in the far north, even west along the shores of Bathurst Inlet, according to Major L. T. Burwash, who returned to Ottawa after having spent eighteen months on a trip through the sub-Arctic which took him some 4,000 miles by boat, behind a dog team and by air.

The veteran of the north, who has mused behind dogs since 1897, brought with him news of the latest developments in the country which he has grown to know like a book. He thought that the mineral deposits on the Coppermine R'ver, up which he travelled for some fifty miles, would be less valuable than those along the shores of the inlet for which the flying explorers of Col. C. D. H. McAlpine were making at the time they became lost.

Deposits along the Coppermine River, he explained, had been brought in by the drift and had been left high and dry, dotted all over the shores. During his trek up the river he picked up large chunks of metallic copper which had been left on caribou meadows when the ice receded. The action was now stopped, he said, and the field cannot be developed until someone finds the source from which the huge nuggets were torn by the ice.

On Bathurst Inlet, however, the copper is in place, he said, and probably exists in great quantities. Major Burwash was a trifle non-committal on the question of whether or not the development of the copper mining industry in this part of the country might some day reach a stage here that would justify the engineering of a railway from Churchill, 900 miles west, to take care of it.

He thought, however, that should development ever reach large proportions, it would be cheaper to smelt ore on the ground, as coal is to be found all along the Arctic coast of Canada and occurs in heavy deposits at such points as Smoking Mountains and at the Banks Island where it has been burning since the dawn of history in this region.

Water power is plentiful near the Arctic coastline, at least in a potential state. Most of the rivers flowing into the Arctic, the Major explained, travel slowly across the great plateau land of the interior and then, during the last fifteen or twenty miles of their courses, drop sometimes several hundred feet to a sea level in a series of rapids or cascades, some of which are splendid natural power sites.

Major Burwash, under orders of the Northwest Territories Branch of the Department of the Interior, started his trip on the well travelled route from Fort McMurray down the Mackenzie Valley to Aklavik on board the "Ptarmigan." From there he worked east where he took a dog team and travelled along the coast as far as Boothia, Peninsula and the magnetic pole. After making some observations over the pole with the compass and dipping needle he came to the conclusion that the centre of magnetism is deep down in the earth. He explained that the horizontal needle was put out of action owing to the attraction downward through the earth, while the dipping needle, giving the inclination of the magnetic lines for force in the vertical plane, was standing almost straight up and down.

From Boothia the Major worked his way back via King Williams Land and was finally picked up at Burnside River by Captain Guy H.

Blanchet, who had arrived on a search flight for the MacAlpine search operations and, during the long flight down, acted as navigator for the planes.

Fox Farming Centre

Between 1,500 and 2,000 Foxes Now In Saskatoon Area

According to "The Hub," between 1,500 and 2,000 foxes constitute the present stock in the Saskatoon region, which is recognized as the centre of the fox fur industry of the prairie provinces. At the big black fox show in Calgary, in 1928, the Saskatoon foxes captured the primary honors in competition with the best from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Saskatoon is the head office of the Canadian National Fox Breeders' Association (Saskatchewan section).



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(By Annabelle Worthington)

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WAS PREMIER'S MENTOR



Miss Jean Graham, who taught Dr. J. T. M. Anderson, premier of Saskatchewan, in Humboldt Collegiate Institute, Toronto, in 1908, Miss Graham, who presided over the history department of the school, then the Toronto Junction high school, says that the then future premier was an excellent student of history.

France Keeping Her Horses

Country Has Made Good the Loss Sustained In War

The automobile is not replacing the horse in France, an official survey reveals.

The total number of horses in France this year is estimated to be nearly the same as in 1913, when the automobile was not a serious menace to horsemanship.

The government survey shows that in 1913 there were approximately 8,200,000 horses in France. During the war millions of them were killed in action while many were eaten for food.

The years following the war looked dark and it seemed for some time that the fields of France would no longer see any horses. It was thought only the rich could afford a horse as a riding mount while the few left over would be sought by the museums.

But the farmers of France have staged a great comeback. They refused to introduce tractors and instead started breeding new herds of horses. As a result France is now well furnished with horsemanship. It is also stated the quality is much better, and that more horses are butchered at an earlier age because the public demands more tender meat. Horsemanship still remains a popular meat in France and special butcher shops proudly bear great metal horses heads over their doors.

But France intends to continue increasing the number of her horses is evident from last year's export and import figures. France imported 17,000 horses, and exported only 7,372.

See For Themselves

An Irish drill sergeant was putting a squad of recruits through the different movements. Try as he would he couldn't get a straight line. Finally, in exasperation, he shouted:

"What's the matter wild yet? Can't ye line up? All of ye fall out and take a look at the line ye've made!"

The Carnegie Hero Fund, established 25 years ago, has awarded 19 gold medals, 526 silver medals, and 1,769 bronze medals since that time.

Advocates Uniform Text Books To Be Used In Schools Throughout The Dominion

Experiments With Fertilizers

Conference Held At Regina Reaches Decision To Continue Further Investigations

Experiments conducted during the past year into the use of fertilizer have been so successful, that the programme will be greatly extended during the coming season, with a view to determining at as early a date possible, the soil types and areas on which fertilizer may be most profitably used.

This decision was reached at a conference held at Regina, attended by representatives of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the Massey-Harris Company, the Cockshutt Plow Company, the Dominion Government Experimental Farm Branch, the agricultural departments and universities of the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Dominion reclamation and irrigation branch, and the Manitoba Wheel Pool, through whose co-operation the experiments were held.

A similar conference was held a year ago at Trail, B.C., when experiments conducted during the summer of 1928 were discussed.

Experiments of the past summer show clearly that on the whole favorable results have been secured through the application of superphosphates and ammonium-phosphate. Although, due to the large number of experiments covering so wide an area, some did not show increased yields, it was pointed out that the experiments have been under way only for a period of two years and that this was insufficient time to warrant final conclusion.

Difficulty Encountered

By Social Workers

Find It Hard To Protect Self-Respect Of Poor

An experienced social worker was once asked what she found to be the greatest difficulty in trying to carry about the homes of poverty. Without hesitation she replied: "Not to break down their self-respect." This is a delicate yet very practical consideration in such matters. Even the poorest and most unfortunate are entitled to their right of privacy. They may well be tempted at times to exclaim in the presence of what seems to them intrusion, no matter how well meant, that the heart knoweth its own bitterness and a stranger intermeddles not. Time and again it has been shown that the wisest and kindest and most successful philanthropy is that which takes pains to understand and safeguard the sensitiveness of those whom it is sought to aid.

For Student Aviators

A radio station is being built at Heston aerodrome which is to be used by flying instructors. Stationed there, the instructors will watch student aviators go through their capers above the building. Instructions will be broadcast from the station to the student flyers above. The pupils' planes will be equipped with receiving sets.

Latest in Locomotives



The new 2800 class locomotives now being placed in service by the Canadian Pacific Railway mark yet another forward step in the history of motive power.

These locomotives, ten of which are being built for fast passenger schedules, are of the Hudson type and in their speed, power, and efficiency, represent the result of years of experience in designing and construction on the part of the Company's engineers.

The new engines have a wheel arrangement not previously used in Canada, with four wheels in the leading truck, six 76 inch driving wheels

and four wheels in the trailing truck. The weight of the engine is 351,000 pounds and of the tender 293,000 pounds, while the overall length of the two is 91 feet 1 1/2 inches. Like the "forty-nine hundreders," which were built for the freight and passenger service of the C.P.R. in the Rocky Mountains, they are equipped with the type "E" superheater; are stoker-fired, and have cylinders and underframes cast in one solid piece, weighing about 50,000 pounds. The nickel steel boiler is designed to withstand a working pressure of 275 pounds, and the engines' tractive effort will be in the neighborhood of 45,300 pounds.

Proposal that an interprovincial conference be held with a view to overcoming serious ignorance of their own country prevalent among Canadian school children, not to mention the adult population was put forward by Dr. J. T. M. Anderson, premier of Saskatchewan, in his address before a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club, at the Royal York Hotel.

Following his speech, Premier Anderson told an interviewer that he had in mind a meeting, possibly to be made yearly, of officials of provincial departments of education. As a beginning, they would concentrate on achieving uniformity of history and geography text books used in Canadian schools, and on impressing teachers under their supervision with the importance of knowing all about Canada and passing it on to their pupils.

"It might even become reasonable to agitate for a single history and single geography text book to be used all over Canada," he said.

"But the main point is that teachers and pupils in the Dominion are at present are appallingly uninformed, and misinformed regarding the country they live in."

The need of circulating adequate and accurate information about Canada throughout the Dominion was stressed at the very opening of his address by Dr. Anderson, who left Toronto, in 1908, to engage in educational work, later becoming provincial director of education. He has taken an intense interest for some years in the regulation of immigration and the education of new Canadians to fit them to be good citizens.

"It is a pleasure," he remarked, "to drift back to the scenes of my youth and get an opportunity to convey some information about Saskatchewan without being thought boastful. As a school teacher, and one engaged in educational work, I have always felt that a great trouble in the Dominion is that we are not acquainted with each other."

"There are thousands in this province who know little or nothing about the West and not much more about even their neighboring province, Quebec. Worse than this, the average teacher in the secondary schools knows very little about this country, its size, resources, activities and peoples. I deeply hope that the various provinces will get together soon to discuss means of extending knowledge of our own country."

Dr. Anderson asserted that few Canadian children learned that the Dominion was larger than the United States, and 18 times bigger than Germany; that it constituted 28 per cent of the area of the Empire and was the largest overseas Dominion, and was as large as the whole continent of Europe.

Although Saskatchewan has at least one, if not several, racial problems, the premier said that the West was becoming more and more a school teacher in the district, he contrasted the present conditions, pointing out the fact that the great majority of the former foreigners were now staunchly English.

Ottawa Winter Fair

The Ottawa Winter Fair, opened by Hon. W. R. MeArthur, Minister of Agriculture, on December 2nd, contained the largest display of livestock ever seen in the capital, while for the horse show more than 300 of the finest hunting, saddle and carriage horses in Eastern Canada were present.



"What have you done to yourself?" "Nothing—I am advertising a new strapping plaster."—Mocca, Vienna.

"How is it you ask me for a loan when I don't know you?" "It would be hopeless if you did."—Nagels Lustige Welt, Berlin.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Official France mourns Emile Louvet, former president who died recently at the age of 91.

Diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Russia formally resumed after a lapse of more than two and a half years.

The Canadian and United States delegation to the millennial celebration of the Icelandic parliament will sail from Montreal, June 15, aboard the S.S. Montcalm.

The Portuguese Government has authorized four mills to import 100,000 tons of foreign wheat before June 1, 1930. The action was taken because of the small Portuguese crop.

A movement to erect a monument to the late Fyodor Dostoevsky, a token of Germany's gratitude for his heroism in attempting to rescue the Bremen trans-Atlantic liners has been started.

The B.C. provincial government is distributing to the municipalities \$550,414 as their share of liquor profits for the six months ending September 30, and \$206,978 from parliamentary taxes.

Canada has registered with the League of Nations her agreement with the United States regarding the admission of civil aircraft; her agreement with Sweden exempting shipping from income tax, and the agreement between Canada, Cuba, the United States and Newfoundland relative to fisheries.

Despite rebates of \$250,000 within six months to users of gasoline for industrial purposes, Alberta's gas tax has produced a net revenue of \$1,150,000 between April 1 and November 20, government officials state. At least \$50,000 more is expected to be taken in by March 31, 1930, the end of the fiscal year.

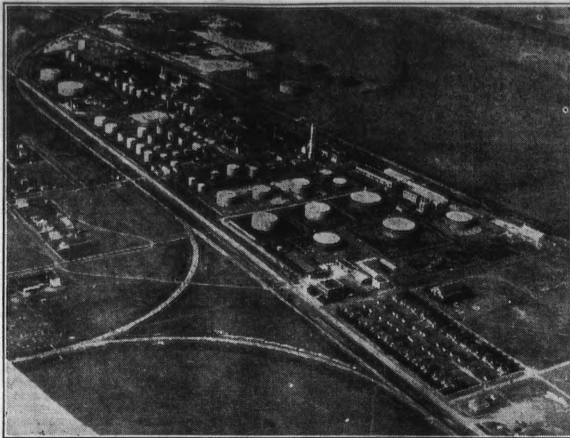
Canadian National Places Large Order

Will Do Much To Relieve Unemployment Situation In Dominion

Orders have been placed by the Canadian National Railways for 120,000 gross tons of steel required for the construction programme of the National System during the coming year, it was stated officially at Canadian National headquarters. Of this total, 80,000 gross tons have been ordered from the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, and 40,000 gross tons from the Algoma Steel Mills, at Sault Ste. Marie. In addition to steel orders, nearly 5,000 box cars have been ordered. Of the car orders placed, the Canadian Car and Foundry Company are to deliver 2,250 fifty ton box cars, and 25 tank cars, each of 10,000 gallons capacity. The National Steel Car Company have received orders for 1,175 fifty ton box cars, and the Astern Car Company have been given orders for 200 refrigerator and approximately 1,000 box cars. The placing of box car orders has resulted in the manufacturers placing orders with the British Columbia Mills for some 15,000,000 feet of box car material. The placing of these orders has had an important bearing on the employment situation throughout the centres concerned. Inquiries are also being made by the Canadian National among locomotive manufacturers for the delivery of 15 Santa Fe type locomotives and 15 mountain type engines.

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Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CINNAMON APPLES SUPREME

- 1 package vanilla junket.
- 1 pint milk.
- 6 apples.
- 1 cup sugar.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water.
- 3 tablespoons red cinnamon candies.
- 1 tablespoonful lemon juice.

Peel and core apples and place in baking pan. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar, water and cinnamon candies together for 5 minutes; add lemon juice. Pour syrup over apples and bake until tender, basting several times. Place apples in individual dishes, adding a little syrup. When cooled and the syrup has jellied, prepare vanilla junket according to directions on package and fill dishes. Let stand in a warm room until firm.

POTATO STUFFING FOR ROAST GOOSE

- 2 cups hot mashed potatoes.
 - 1 teaspoon grated onion.
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped walnut meats.
 - Paprika.
 - 1 teaspoon salt.
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ cup evaporated milk.
 - 1 tablespoon butter.
 - Yolks 2 eggs.
 - 1 teaspoon of poultry seasoning.
- Mix the ingredients in the order given and handle as any stuffing.

A Good Gardener

Saskatchewan School Teacher Wins Silver Cup For Improvement To School Grounds

Michael Evaschen is some gardener. For three years a silver cup has been awarded by the Canadian Horticultural Council, of Saskatchewan, for greatest improvement in school grounds during the year. Each time a school taught by Evaschen has won the cup which was donated for the purpose by Prairie Nurseries, Limited.

Announcement of this year's winner was made at Saskatoon by A. R. Brown, director of rural education for Saskatchewan. The cup goes to the Krasny school district No. 121, 12 miles south of Sibley. Last year the cup was won by the Winhart school, north of Punnichy, and in 1927 by Janco school, 16 miles northeast of Prince Albert. Evaschen was the teacher at all three schools, having spent a year in each place.

He is a native of Manitoba, attended school at Dauphin, and took third class normal work in Manitoba. He took his second class at Saskatoon, and spent a year at the Agricultural College.

His Worry

A business man returned from the city to find the maid looking scared. "I'm sorry, sir," she said, "but madam had an accident in the car this afternoon, and it's been completely smashed. 'Good lord,' said the aghast husband, 'and my elms were in the dicky.'"

Killed By Chinese Bandits

Three Missionaries Are Slain In Most Revolting Manner

The Rev. James G. Kelley, superior of Maryknoll Junior seminary, at Los Altos, Calif., told the Associated Press that he had received by mail details of the murder, in China, recently, of three Franciscan missionaries, Bishop Jans and Fathers Bruno and Rupert.

Father Keller said the missionaries were killed in a most revolting manner, Bishop Jans being literally hacked to pieces. The clergymen were captured by bandits. The death of these missionaries, Father Keller said, brings the total number of Catholic priests killed in China recently, to 22.

To Prevent Seasickness

After 36 years at sea, during which time he served as surgeon on the "Aquitania," Dr. S.dney Jones has retired. He has published a preventative for seasickness based on a study of this illness during his life on the ocean. Take no alcohol a week before sailing, eat sparingly, and avoid all acidic foods, is his advice.

The battle of Waterloo lasted only about eight hours.

Status Of Dominions

Conference Brings To Light Important Developments In Empire's Constitutional Position

Another important development in the Empire's constitutional position has resulted from the International Air Conference, just concluded at Paris. Britain and the Dominions, though they signed the 1919 international air convention separately, hitherto have one joint vote at the convention, despite sometimes conflicting interests. Now it has been unanimously agreed the Dominions have separate votes and the alteration is embodied in a protocol which the Dominions have signed in alphabetical order, along with other nations.

Cactus That Shoots

Dr. E. C. Leonard, Smithsonian Institution scientist, tells of a thorn-shooting cactus, of Haiti. The slightest jar to the bush will cause the cactus pads to shoot forth in a parabola several sharp thorns. These travel with considerable force, and can penetrate leather at a distance of six feet.

George Washington never lived in the White House. This edifice was not yet completed when he died.

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Mid-Atlantic Airports

Artificial Islands Look Like Great Ironwork Piers

The idea of making a series of islands across the Atlantic as landing places for passenger-carrying aeroplanes that will one day ply the air between this continent and Europe has for long been the basis of romantic schemes. One such scheme is about to come true, and when it does, there will be eight floating islands between New York and Southampton, forming great stepping stones for the use of aircraft on regular scheduled flights.

Seen out of the water, the aeroplanes look like great ironwork piers. But they will float instead of stand. Thirty-two "legs" will support the seadromes, which will be 1,100 feet long, 400 feet wide and 350 feet high. The floating airports will be 80 feet above water, out of reach of the largest waves. The inventor says the peculiar construction will prevent all rolling or pitching. A hotel will stand on one side of each island, and a hangar and mechanics' quarters on the other.

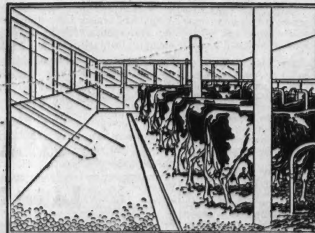
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ANGLO-AMERICAN NAVAL PROGRAM SATISFIES JAPAN

Paris.—A new school of thought—that France should lay claim at London, to a larger navy than those of the United States or Japan, and second only to Great Britain—has developed in certain circles here. It is unlikely that the French delegates to the five-power conference will make such a claim, but the popular sentiment must be considered when France contemplates any sacrifices around the conference board.

The claim is based on the contention that France is a greater colonial empire than the United States or Japan, which now outrank it as to naval ratios, and has a greater area and population of overseas possessions to protect.

Tokyo.—Baron Shidehara has informed the cabinet and council, it is understood, that the Japanese government has instructed its delegation to the London arms conference to support a program of Anglo-American solidarity, if the attitude of Italy and France make this necessary.

Date Announced For Freight Rate Hearing

Appeal Of Western Provinces To Be Considered, Jan. 16

Ottawa.—The cabinet has announced that the freight rate appeal of the western provinces will be heard on January 16. The hearing was to have been held several weeks ago but was adjourned.

The appellant provinces are British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan. Originally these provinces had agreed upon their case, which included the removal of the mountain differential and a revision of the west-bound terminal rates. Now, however, Saskatchewan has withdrawn from the other two provinces and has submitted a separate appeal. This appeal has not, as yet, been made public and it is presumed here that it will be released for publication at Regina.

Search For Missing Aviators

Canadian Pilots Arrive In Alaska On Way To Siberia

Seward, Alaska.—Carrying three Fairchild planes and a complement of Canadian flyers who are to engage in the search for Pilot Carl Ben Eielson and Mechanic Earl Borsland, missing since early November, in Siberia, the coast guard cutter "Chelan" has arrived here.

It fought its way through heavy weather all the way north. The Canadian flyers aboard were Captain H. A. Oakes, in charge, Captain T. M. "Pat" Rees, chief pilot; B. W. Broatch and Clifford Swartman, C. F. Mews and William Hughes, mechanics; Major H. C. Decker, in charge of the expedition for the aviation corporation, and A. L. Baker, A. Pratt and Whitely, mechanics.

Sea Musical Festival

Interesting Event To Be Held At Victoria In January

Victoria.—The second annual sea musical festival will be held at the Empress Hotel, Victoria, January 15-18. Handicrafts of the Pacific Coast will be shown, music lovers will be delighted with the Sea Music of All Nations, chanteys of the Old Sailing Ship Days, Sailor Hornpipes and Fisher-Folk Dances.

The second annual mid-winter Golf Tournament will be held at the Calwood Golf and Country Club, Victoria, from February 17 to 22. Free booklets describing these events may be had upon application to the manager of the Empress Hotel, Victoria, B.C.

Rescue Is Effected

London, England.—Exchange Telegraph despatches from Ellington, New Zealand, reported the crews of two whaling expeditions sent out by the Boyd Antarctic expedition had been rescued after their boats had been crushed in the ice. The news was received by the Icy supply ship "Eleanor Bolling" by wireless. The "Eleanor Bolling" is now at Dunedin, New Zealand.

Christmas Ship Disaster

Twenty-Four Lives Lost Off Coast Of Spain

London, England.—A ship disaster in which 24 lives were lost marked Christmas Day of tempests along the coasts of the British Isles, France and Spain.

A Norwegian steamship, bearing codfish from Iceland, sank off Bayona, northwestern Spain, after terrific gales forced it aground. The ship was bound for Vigo, nearby.

At 1 a.m. fishermen on shore saw its first rocket of distress. Although a heavy fog prevailed, and the storm was so severe that fishing smacks in the inner harbor were damaged, the fishermen struggled to reach the battered vessel. After two hours they approached within 700 yards of the doomed steamer, but could not get closer.

The stricken vessel sank with all hands. Later four bodies were washed ashore, all wearing life-preservers marked "Asaland." Letters and other documents cast up by the waves indicated the ship carried a crew of 24. No survivors were found. Lloyd's which received an account of the shipwreck, believed the ship's name to be "Asaland" instead of "Asland." The "Asaland" was listed as of 990 tons.

The storm blew out of the southwest, banishing the blue skies and summer weather of Southern England. Rain fell in torrents and hail rattled on the streets of London, England, while wild weather ruled the south coast districts, where Christmas visitors to resort towns watched great sea pound on the beaches and harbor walls at Folkestone and other ports.

Arrest Italian Extremists

Is Alleged To Have Plotted Death Of Royalty

Brussels, Belgium.—With the arrest of a young Italian in connection with an alleged murderous plot against the Belgian royal family, police expressed the belief they had caught the leader of an extensive group of extremists whose activities have been under surveillance some time.

Camiello Berneri, alias Rosini, was arrested a few days ago after Belgian and French secret agents shadowed him several weeks. A man named Pascale Ruschon, alleged to be one of his accomplices, was arrested simultaneously, but four other suspects, three Italian and one Dutch anarchist, are still at large.

Berneri is alleged to have headed a plot to bomb the Belgian royal train and thus to prevent the forthcoming marriage of Princess Marie Jose, of Belgium and Crown Prince Humbert, of Italy.

The authorities said that an extensive roundup of anarchists and other extremists probably would result from the evidence discovered with the arrests.

Speech To Be Broadcast

All May Hear King George's Address At Naval Conference

London, England.—Plans are being made to broadcast the King's speech at the opening of the five-power naval conference between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. on January 21, from the House of Lords. Immediately after his address the King will surrender the chairmanship of the conference to prime minister MacDonald.

The entire two hours of the broadcast which will be between 6 a.m. and 8 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, will not be occupied by the King as this time was allotted in the hope of including the introductory speeches of delegates from other countries.

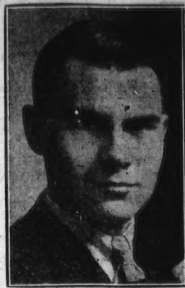
Little Demand For Raw Silk

Tokyo, Japan.—As a result of the increasing manufacture of rayon and various other silk substitutes, the consumption of raw silk in Canada and the United States, is considerably less than formerly, according to reports submitted to the Silk Association. Consumption of raw silk in the United States alone during the month of September showed a drop of 6,430 bales from the month previous.

Will Publish Memoirs

New York.—The memoirs of the late Georges Clemenceau, wartime premier of France, will be published simultaneously in the United States, England and France, late in February or early in March.

AWARDED FELLOWSHIP



D. D. "Dot" Buchanan, son of Senator W. A. Buchanan, of Lethbridge, Alta., in his senior year of modern history honors at Victoria College, University of Toronto, who has been awarded the William E. Wilder fellowship for study abroad.

Fire In White House

Executive Offices Of President Hoover Damaged By Blaze

Washington.—Swept by a sudden furious Christmas Eve fire, President Hoover's executive offices at the White House were ice-coated and desolate.

Summoned from the dinner table, Mr. Hoover was one of the first to reach the west wing of the White House after the alarm was sounded. Not heeding the smoke which had begun to eddy thickly, he went into his offices and began to carry out furnishings and documents. He was persuaded to leave the room with difficulty, and even then he stood outside and aided others who were carrying out valuables. The flames, however, began to show amid the smoke, and he retired to a nearby terrace to watch until the fire was brought under control shortly after 10 o'clock.

He made a tour of inspection and afterwards announced that the wing would be rebuilt.

Everything in the west wing, save documents and papers in steel filing bookcases and filing cabinets, was damaged by smoke and water. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Brought Patients From North

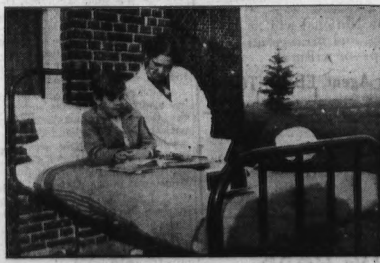
"Punch" Dickens Again Aids Men Needing Medical Attention

Edmonton, Alberta.—C. E. "Punch" Dickens, Western Canada Airways pilot, has brought his plane to Edmonton from McMurray on another "errand of mercy." His passengers, northland residents in need of medical aid, were Dick Dawson, mining engineer, who had suffered from an appendicitis attack; L. H. Forrest, a mine employee, who recently sustained a serious eye injury in an accident; and Fred Jones, who had his hand crushed while working on a drill.

To Aid Unemployed

Edmonton, Alberta.—Provincial and civic authorities will co-operate to provide work for unmarried jobless men in Edmonton, with the province bearing the expense. It has been announced following a conference between Premier J. E. Brownlie and Mayor J. M. Douglas.

A UNIQUE SCHOOL ROOM



Above is a picture of the teacher and one of the pupils at the Junior Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital in Edmonton. All the children are bed cases, but continue their studies during the (sometimes very lengthy) time they are in hospital. In fine weather the beds are moved outside and work goes on in the fresh air and sunshine.

Will Help Canadian Business

Two-Cent Letter Rate Extended To South America

Ottawa.—Christmas Day marked the inauguration of a two-cent letter rate from Canada to all parts of South America. Announcement to this effect was made by Hon. Peter J. Veniot, postmaster-general.

This letter rate already applies to all parts of North and Central America; and will now apply to the following countries: Argentine Republic, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, the Guianas, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela.

In making the announcement, Mr. Veniot expressed the opinion that the two-cent letter rate would result in considerable advantage to Canadian business. On this point the postmaster-general commented on the great natural resources of South America, its present-day development in transportation and its great trade expansion.

The South American countries, Mr. Veniot intimated, have been invited to reduce their letter rate to Canada, and thus make the arrangement reciprocal.

In addition, the postmaster-general declared, an agreement has been reached with the Argentine postal administration for the extension of the parcel post weight limit between Canada and Argentina from 15 pounds to 20 pounds. Such an arrangement, Mr. Veniot believed would facilitate trade with Argentina, as Canadian commercial houses would be able to ship in large quantities at lower rates than has hitherto been possible.

Trying To Locate Gold

Christmas Turkey Starts Gold Rush At Sault Ste. Marie

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.—A gold rush has started on St. Joe's Island and a dressed turkey spread the tip. It all started when a prominent merchant donated a number of turkeys for Christmas to deserving families.

Mrs. J. B. Hammond, who dressed a turkey presented by the merchant, found in its crop a gold nugget valued at \$250. The turkey was one of a shipment from St. Joe's Island, and local prospectors are busy trying to find out just which farm this particular bird came from.

To Repair Cables

May Take Two Years For French Cable Company To Repair Breaks

Paris.—Two years may be required to repair fully the damage caused to the three French Cable Company lines broken by submarine earthquakes off Newfoundland, November 18.

The three cables were apparently broken in several places. Engineers on the cable repair ship estimated that 150 miles of new cable would have to be laid to replace the torn and twisted sections. The cost probably will be about \$400,000.

Made Long Hike

Geeth, Ont.—Flooded for 18 miles through the snow-filled road from Geeth, Ontario, to a point seven miles below Arthur, Peter Peterson 80-year-old Arthur resident, has established a record for endurance. He had come to Geeth by train and returned to his home on foot although he had a return ticket in his pocket.

CRITICISM IS HURLED AGAINST U. S. DRY BOARD

Washington, D.C.—Three more dry members of the senate have spoken their minds concerning present prohibition enforcement conditions.

Borah, of Idaho, Norris, of Nebraska, and Brookhart, of Iowa, all Republicans allied with the independent faction, entered the current controversy with expressions of dissatisfaction with existing enforcement agencies.

Borah, who as President Hoover's most prominent campaigner on the prohibition issue, assailed the entire personnel charged with making the Volstead act effective, and asserted that as now constituted it would never enforce the law.

Norris, who supported Governor Smith in the presidential campaign, declared that efforts to suppress the alcohol traffic have never been made in good faith in numerous sections of the country. Enforcement officers, he said, have many times overlooked cases of men with political influence making fortunes through traffic in illicit liquor.

Brookhart came to the support of Senator Harris of Georgia, in the latter's demand for the removal of Judge Paul J. McCormick, from President Hoover's law enforcement commission. Referring to McCormick's assertion that search of private homes without warrants was an outstanding evil of present enforcement activities, Brookhart expressed impatience "with making the government the criminal in enforcing the law and making heroes out of boot-leggers."

Chinese Foreign Policy

Would Abolish Foreign Navigation Rights Along Coasts and Inland Waters

Nanking, China.—Foreign Minister C. T. Wang, outlining the foreign policy of the nationalist government for 1930, has declared that the work of his ministry during the coming year would be devoted to the abolition of foreign navigation rights along the coasts and inland waters of China.

In addition, Mr. Wang hoped to secure the withdrawal of foreign troops on Chinese soil and the retrocession to China of foreign concessions and settlements.

He added that on Great Britain's initiative preparations were being made for revising the Sino-British treaties, forwarded to London.

Suspects Are Arrested

Eighty Natives Apprehended In Connection With Bombay Outrage In India

Lahore, India.—Eighty natives were arrested in connection with the bombing of Lord Irwin's train at Delhi. Three of the men arrested were taken into custody at the camp or delegates to the National Congress.

A force of 500 former soldiers and civilians has been recruited and ordered to patrol the entire European quarter to guard against the possibility of native outbreaks during the anticipated heated controversy at the Congress.

Predicts Northern Railway

Line From Peace River To Great Slave Lake Certain, Says Colonel General

Edmonton, Alberta.—Construction of a railway line from Peace River to Great Slave Lake is predicted by Col. J. N. K. Cornwall, veteran northerner, who paid a flying visit to Edmonton on his way to spend the Christmas holidays in Victoria, B.C. "Northern development cannot be halted," he added. "The region is one of the richest in the world, and its development will really begin when adequate railway transportation is provided."

Alterations of Berlin's network of canals are being planned to make it possible for 1,000-ton vessels to pass directly through the city.

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Game Licenses can be had at Sun Office, where copies of the Game Act can be seen.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for alteration and additions and addition to Public Building, Edmonton, Alberta" will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, January 23, 1930, for alterations and addition to the Public Building at Edmonton, Alberta.

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Blue prints can be obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, by depositing an accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$50.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submits a regular bid.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department, and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 p.c. of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will also be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
N. DESJARDINS,
Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 18, 1929.

Railway Baby



Born on the Canadian Pacific Railway Express Train "The Dominion" near Kamoka, British Columbia, recently, the smiling infant shown with her mother above has been christened Christina Patricia Rossland, the names being arranged in the initials C.P.R., in honor of her railway birth. Little Miss C.P.R. is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Peterson, North Vancouver, B.C.

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The Singing Fool

By HUBERT DAIL

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SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, is loved by Grace Farrell, the cigarette girl, but he doesn't know it. He marries Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and wins fame as a composer of popular songs. When their baby, Junior, is about two years old, Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend. She and Perry take the child Al and sail for France. Al, broken by the loss, becomes a derelict. Months later he drifts into Blackie's place and is saved by Grace Farrell, who makes him promise to stage a comeback. Al falls in love with Grace, and while Grace is happy in his love, she often wonders what has become of Molly, and is worried.

CHAPTER XXVIII

Grace realized that on many occasions when Al was silent he was thinking of his beloved son and wondering how Junior was faring. It was just about a year now since Molly had so cruelly taken him from Al and rushed off to Europe with John Perry. No word had reached New York concerning the elopement since that one message announcing that Molly was suing for divorce. This strange silence in itself was ominous to Grace. She knew that Al's life was inextricably bound up in Junior's and because of that Molly had a hold on him.

Perhaps Al sensed this feeling of instability in Grace. At any rate, he broached the subject near to her heart.

"Grace, you and I are going to be married one of these days."

It was a question, not an assertion, and Grace looked at him, with

gently interrogating eyes, saying nothing.

"Will you marry me, Grace?" "Al, you know how I feel. You know I love you—of course I want to marry you. But—"

"But what?"

"You don't even know if you're divorced or not."

"I'm finding that out—the lawyers are working on it now. I would have brought it up before, but I wanted to be well on the way to recovery before I mentioned it to you."

"But what about Junior?"

A faint shadow crossed Al's face, then he drove it away. "He had reasoned that out, too."

"I can't have Junior, anyway," he said. "Molly would never give him up. And I do want you, Grace. I want you so much. I love you dearly. I never stop loving you for a single moment. I think you're the most adorable and fascinating and beautiful person on earth."

Grace stepped closer and looked up into his eyes. "And I feel the same about you, Al," she said simply and sincerely.

Meanwhile, what was happening to Molly in Paris?

During the first few months in the French capital and in the brilliant resorts along the Riviera she had been delightously happy. John Perry and she loved having Junior with her, too.

But Perry did not like Junior; the child was not his own and he often felt that the little boy came between him and Molly. Molly did not notice this at first, she only found increasing joy in the presence of the dark, handsome Perry. Never for a moment did she regret leaving Al and giving up the fame he had brought her on Broadway. She abandoned herself completely to her adoration of Perry, waiting impatiently for her divorce to be granted. This complete submergence of her character to the whims and demands of Perry astonished even Molly herself. Never had she believed it possible for her to forget herself so completely in thoughts of another person.

The couple travelled from one resort to another, spending money lavishly, but always circumspectly because the divorce had not yet been granted. When they gambled at Deauville or Monte Carlo it was Molly's money that was used, for it turned out that John Perry did not have so much after all. He had earned the reputation of having a fortune simply because of his lavish spending on Broadway.

But during this period the relationship between Molly and John changed perceptibly. It was John who began to show signs of boredom and Molly who became more infatuated. One day when she was moody he did not forgive her, and she always done. He simply went away and stayed a few days. When he returned in response to her begging letters she loved him more madly than ever.

Then came the day when Perry said, "Molly, I wish you wouldn't have that child around so much. He interferes with our plans and he bothers me terribly."

Molly's voice trembled as she answered, "But I love him, John? What can I do with him?"

"Send him away," insisted Perry harshly. "Send him to a nursing home, or board him out with some family."

Molly gazed long into the handsome, irritated features of the man she loved. She realized she must do as he said if she would hold him. So little Junior was boarded out with a French family. It happened to be a family where he wasn't given good care, so his usually rosy cheeks became thin and pale. He was terribly lonely, too, and he often cried for his mother, his mother who only came to see him once a week now. Vaguely he remembered his daddy back in America, the daddy who had loved him so.

One day Molly realized that her money was dwindling with dangerous rapidity. John Perry asked almost daily for loans, which he wasted in gambling, and never suggested paying back. Molly was afraid to call him to account, afraid even to stop giving him money. With a deadly pain in her heart she sensed that she was on the verge of losing him. If she said a word he might up and leave her at a moment's notice, but if she kept silent he would probably marry her. And the divorce was due any day now.

Shrewd John Perry played pitilessly on Molly's infatuation for him, as pitilessly as she had once used Al's love became more, uncertain with each

to further her ambitions. His temper passing day and his demands for large sums of money more insistent.

Then came the day when Molly received news of the divorce. She was wild with happiness as she flung her arms about John Perry's neck.

"Now, John, we can be married! Isn't it wonderful?"

Perry put his hands lightly on her shoulders and looked down into her eyes with a quizzical expression. "A show-down was at hand."

"Wonderful!" he said deliberately. "Well—maybe. And maybe not."

"What do you mean, John? Don't you want to marry me?"

"No, I don't think I do," he answered calmly.

Molly drew back. First her expression was beseeching, then came anger.

"After all I've done for you—to throw me down!"

Perry merely shrugged his shoulders in answer.

Then fury broke loose in Molly. "You cheating dog!" She backed away from him, picked up a vase from a table, and sent it straight toward his head. Perry dodged deftly, smiling as the base smashed in fragments against the wall. With a nonchalant air he picked up his hat and stick.

"Where are you going?" cried Molly.

"I'm leaving. You'll never see me again."

Molly cried all that night. Next morning she received a telegram telling her Junior was dangerously ill.

Back in New York Al had returned to fame and Broadway in a Marcus reus. All over the city you could see the flaming billboards announcing his presence—"Al Stone—Broadway's Famous 'Singing Fool'—"

—as the headline in the Marcus Review for 1928. When you walked down Broadway at night you saw his name in yellow lights against the inky sky. His come-back was a complete success.

One night, as the stage doorkeeper at the Algonquin Theatre, where Al was appearing, sat smoking the stub of a cigar, a tidy and expensive little sport car drove into the alley by the stage entrance. Al was at the wheel and beside him sat Grace Farrell. The doorkeeper heard their happy chatter as Al parked the car. The young singer was feeling in particularly good form this evening, for the news had just reached him from Paris of Molly and Grace's divorce. That meant that Al and Grace would soon be married.

(To Be Continued.)

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Woman Has Busy Life

Works In Factory and Runs Farm At Eighty-Two

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"I was torpedoed on August 8, 1915, in the Arctic Circle, and I've never stopped shivering since. I was serving in the auxiliary cruiser 'India,' and was four hours on a raft. I still dream of gasping for breath as the seas swept over us."

"Another man and I were interned in Norway, in a desolate spot, and we used to dress to go to bed."

The Medical Correspondent writes: "It is quite feasible that a mental shock should make a man cold for life. Warmth depends mainly on blood circulation, and pressure which is to a great extent controlled by the secretions of the ductless glands. Ideas or impressions can definitely affect their action."

Little Helps For This Week

"Blessed is the man whom Thou chastenest, O Lord."—Psalm xciv. 12.

I know that trial works for ends Too high for mine to trace, That oft in dark attire He sends Some embassy of grace;

May none depart till I have gained The blessing which it bears And learn, though late, I entertained An angel unawares.

—James Drummond Burns.

Be not afraid of those trials which God may see fit to send upon thee. It is with the wind and storm of tribulation that God separates the true wheat from the chaff. Remember, therefore, that God comes to thee in thy sorrow as really as in thy joys. He lays low and He builds up. Thou wilt find thyself far from perfection if thou dost not find God in everything.—Miguel Molinos.

Falling Hair—Just Try Minard's.

A Flood Of Testimonials

Perhaps the reason Commander Byrd is coming in for some criticism from other explorers is because of the flood of testimonials as to the merits of this and that used by his expedition. These testimonials presumably are well paid for by the recipients. Exploration becomes a little too commercial, perhaps, in such circumstances. But everybody's endorsing something or other nowadays.

Navigators estimate that winds blowing along the sea coast of the Alaskan Peninsula in summer sometimes have a velocity of 80 to 100 miles an hour.

NERVES WERE BAD

Could Not Sleep

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Miss Florence Couture, Bark Lake, Ont., writes—"I was troubled with my nerves, could not sleep at night, and felt tired all day long."

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Stony Plain and District.

Wednesday's No. 6 train was 16 hours late.

During hockey practice on Monday night Edmund Lory received a cut under his right eye from the back kick of a skate. Medical aid was summoned and two physicians responded. First aid had been given by a medical student.

The local Moose Lodge was well represented at the ball and supper given by the Edmonton lodge on New Year's Eve.

No police court session was held on Tuesday, owing to Magistrate Williams' inability to attend.

The installation took place Friday evening of the officers of Meridian Lodge, with L. Kowensky W.M., Dr. Walton S.W., H. Ingram J.W. A whist drive and banquet took place in Masonic hall Monday night which was well attended.

Muir Lake Hall was filled to capacity Tuesday night, when the New Year's ball was given by the Community Club. Birth's orchestra provided music.

"The Arizona Cowboy" appeared before a large audience at Holborn hall Friday night. The comedy was put on by the Strawberry troupe, from across the River.

Hockey News

The Junior hockeyists met Winterburn team on the latter's ice Thursday last, and after some rough playing on a small-sized rink, our local team came out the loser to a score of 3-0. The line up—Wm. & L. Miller, G. Clarke, John Miller, H. Trapp, A. Willis, E. Lory, E. Dannbauer.

A practice hockey game was played Sunday afternoon between a Stony team and one from C. neordia College. Some excellent play was seen. During a scrimmage near the end of the game, Player Rosnan received a nasty cut on the face.

Of the Senior hockey game in Stony on Saturday night the Journal has this to say: "The Navy continued its winning streak in the Intermediate League Saturday when they defeated the Stony Plain aggregation on the latter's ice in a well contested game by a 4-1 count. Enders counted for Stony Plain."

Stony Seniors played an other League game away from home Monday night, when they engaged the Civics, an Edmonton aggregation. The local team went in in full strength and brought a lot of fans with them. The play is said to have been excellent and fairly even thruout the game. Up to a short time before the end of the last period the score was even—4 all. By a lucky shot Civics had a goal scored in their favor, making them the winners—5 to 4.

U. F. A. Convention.

The twenty-second annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta and U.F.W.A. will be held in Central United church, Calgary, Jan. 21 to 24, 1930, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp the morning of the first day.

Senior Hockey Games

At home—

Jan. 11, Civics
Jan. 18, Camrose

Games away—

Jan. 4, Camrose, at Camrose
Jan. 20, Navy, at Edmonton
Jan. 27—Varsity, Edmonton

Heard on Main Street.

Mike—Would it hurt yer feel ings if I called yer a liar?
Ike—No, but it would hurt me knuckles!

Spruce Grove News

The Boy Scout hockeyists from the Grove played Winterburn Scouts Saturday on Pinchbeck rink, the game resulting 6 goals apiece; game called on account of darkness.

The dance New Year's Eve at Winterburn Community hall was well patronised, the Grove district dancers being there in large numbers.

Miss Elsie Margaret Shimbine was married Dec. 27th, to Mr Victor E. Schreyer of Wahstena, the Rev M G Newton performing the ceremony. The young couple will take up their residence on the bridegroom's farm at Wahstena.

The Grove's hockey team is billed to play a game with Stony's Juniors the coming Saturday.

Buckingham Hockey Pictorial Makes Its Appearance.

The Editor has just received a copy of Buckingham Hockey Pictorial which has just been issued and is published by George King, 84 Victoria St., Toronto, who compiled the elaborate History of Hockey. The present Pictorial is featuring a complete history and series of pictures of Stanley Cup Champions (world's professional) from 1894 to date: the Allen Cup Champions (Canadian Amateur Senior) from 1909 to date; Memorial Cup Champions (Canadian amateur-junior from 1919. Also the latest professional hockey rules a picture of Boston Bruins, present world's professional champions—besides a variety of other interesting features. The Pictorial sells at 10c.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.	
No. 1 Northern	1.18
No. 2 Northern	1.15
No. 3 Northern	1.10
No. 4 Northern	1.05
RYS.	
2 C. W.	0.49
3 C. W.	44
Extra 1 Feed	44
No. 1 Feed	42
No. 2 Feed	40
BARLEY.	
No. 3	0.46
No. 4	41
Feed	38
Rejected	36

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Here and There

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The total forest area of Canada is estimated to be 1,311,454 square miles. Of this area, \$55,880 square miles are productive and accessible; a little over one-third of this area bears timber of merchantable size; the remainder carries young growth not yet suitable for use.

The all-lines championship in the Canadian Pacific Railway First Aid Competition has been won by the police team of the Windsor station Montreal for the first time in the history of the championship. Winners took 215½ points out of a possible 425, the nearest to which was the team from Nelson being 205½. Members of the winners were Owen Tomlinson, William Peterson, Ernest G. Wykes, William H. Allison (Captain), and Andrew H. Stott.

More than three hundred people from the west left Winnipeg on Canadian Pacific Railway special travelling to ship's side at Saint John to sail on Duchess of Richmond, December 14, to spend their Christmas and New Year holidays in Great Britain. The majority of the travellers represent workers on the land rather than city dwellers.

With the objective of being one of the largest and most palatial buildings of its kind in the continent, the new clubhouse of the Victoria Golf and Country Club at Colwood is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for formal opening in time for the second annual Empress mid-winter tournament to be played over the famous course February 17-22. It is in replacement of the clubhouse destroyed by fire about a year ago.

Honolulu welcomed S.S. Empress of Canada, giant flagship of the Canadian Pacific "Empress" fleet, when the crack liner arrived December 13, inaugurating Canadian service to the Hawaiian port, with a brilliant civic reception in which the Mayor, the Chamber of Commerce and leading civic representatives and organizations took part. Honolulu gave a real old-time "Aloha" greeting, proving its enthusiasm at the decision of the Canadian Pacific Steamship service to include Honolulu as a frequent port of call.

America's first sea-going Christmas Music Festival will take place aboard Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Bedford which sails from New York December 23 on a 16-day cruise of the West Indies. A special choir has been selected for carol singing and the ship's orchestra will play Christmas music from the earliest Yuletide observances in England and Europe. Elizabethan pageantry, old-time English and American dances, Yule Logs, Boars' Heads, Barons of Beef and Druidic mistletoe will all feature in the festival.

The wheat championship of the world, won by Canadian farmers fifteen times in the last nineteen years, has again returned to Canada, after being held for two years by the state of Montana. This year it was awarded by the unanimous decision of judges at the International Grain and Hay Show at Chicago to Joseph H. B. Smith, of Wolf Creek, Alberta, and formerly of Leicester, England. His farm is 400 miles north of the international boundary and 150 miles west of Edmonton. He won with a sample of Reward wheat developed at the Canadian Government Experimental Farm at Ottawa and put on the market in 1928.

Immigration

Complete suspension of activities by the Dominion Government and the railways and other agencies in the promotion of immigration, particularly of farm immigration, is clearly called for by the prevailing situation in Canada. Assisted immigration should no longer be tolerated. The elevation of the Minister of Immigration to the Senate should be followed by the elimination of the Ministry. Such routine matters as must be attended to can properly be included among the responsibilities of another department.—The U.F.A.

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